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Sir:

Submitted herewith is an English language translation of Japanese Patent Application Publication No. JP 11-109770 (*Hiroko et al.*), which previously cited in the Information Disclosure Statement filed May 28, 2004 in the above-identified application. Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to consider the above submission, and provide to Applicant a statement acknowledging that the present translation has been considered.

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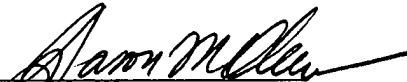
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